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THE following Addreſs of the Magiſtrates, and Town Counſellors of the Burgh of Dunfermline, has been preſented to his Majeſty by the Hon. James Erskine, Eſq; their Repreſentative in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Dunmore, one of the Lords of his Majeſty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Magiſtrates and Town Counſellors of the Burgh of Dunfermline, in Council aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE the Magiſtrates and Town Counſellors of the Burgh of Dunfermline, in Council aſſembled, having ſeen a Declaration of War publiſhed by the French King againſt your Majeſty, wherein is contained Inſinuations moſt injurious to your Majeſty's Royal Dignity, and to the Honour of the Britiſh Name and Nation; and having heard that Preparations were made by that perfidious Court of France (in open Violation of moſt ſolemn Engagements) in Favours of a popiſh, abjur'd Pretender, to interrupt that Happineſs we thankfully enjoy under your Majeſty's Government; and all this done by that Court, noted Diſturbers of the Peace and Tranquility of Europe, for your Majeſty's endeavouring to defend the ancient and natural Allies of your Crown, to preſerve the Liberties of Europe, and to maintain the Commerce and eſſential Intereſts of your Kingdoms, do therefore moſt humbly beg Leave, with the utmoſt Duty and Gratitude, not only to acknowledge the Wiſdom, Equity and Magnanimity of your Majeſty's Councils, and rejoice in the great and glorious Effects of them; but alſo to take this Opportunity, in the ſtrongeſt Manner, to expreſs our Concern for, and Abhorrence of the Indignity intended and offer'd againſt your Majeſty and theſe Kingdoms.

As your Majeſty's Subjects muſt be too ſenſible of the Bleſſings of Liberty, and the free Exerciſe of our Religion, which we enjoy under your moſt auſpicious Reign, to exchange them for an arbitrary and tyrannical Government; ſo the Loyalty and Unanimity of your faithful Subjects, will greatly tend to diſcourage theſe deſperate, inſolent and wicked Endeavours to deſtroy and ſubvert our moſt excellent Conſtitution.

We therefore, with Hearts unfeigned, hope (by the Bleſſing of God on your Majeſty's Arms) to ſee our Enemies diſappointed in their Expectations. And we moſt humbly beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty, of our firm and ſincereſt Attachment to your ſacred Perſon and Government, and our happy Eſtabliſhment in Church and State. And we, with a Zeal and Firmneſs never to be ſhaken, unanimouſly promiſe, that no Endeavours of ours ſhall, even at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes, be wanting to fruſtrate theſe Attempts to the Prejudice of both; and that we ſhall exert our utmoſt Efforts for the Preſervation and Defence of your ſacred Perſon and Government, and of our conſtitutional Rights, againſt all the Attempts of Foreign Enemies, and againſt all treaſonable Practices at home, and alſo for the Maintenance of the Proteſtant Succeſſion in your Royal and Illuſtrious Family, on which the Continuance of the Proteſtant Religion, Laws and Liberties of Great Britain, doth, under God, depend.

We alſo moſt humbly beg Leave to preſent our hearty Congratulations on the Increaſe of your illuſtrious Family, by the Birth of a third Son to his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales, and on the Marriage of your Royal Daughter Princeſs Mary to the Prince Royal of Denmark, Events which muſt greatly contribute to our Happineſs, as they ſtrengthen our Conſtitution.

That the ſame good Providence, greatly propitious to the Proteſtant Religion, and the Liberties of Britain, which lately protected your ſacred Majeſty in the Day of Battle, and bleſſed your Majeſty with a ſignal and ever memorable Victory, may not ſuffer any Weapon form'd againſt you to proſper, but may preſerve your Royal Perſon in Safety, Health and Glory, and long, very long to continue to a loyal and thankful People the free Exerciſe of our Religion, Laws and Liberties we enjoy in your Majeſty's wiſe and happy Reign, and tranſmit the ſame in your auguſt and royal Houſe to lateſt Poſterity, is the Prayer of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt humble, moſt faithful, and moſt obedient Subjects and Servants,

The Magiſtrates and Town Counſellors of the Burgh of Dunfermline, in Council aſſembled.

Signed in their Preſence, and by their Appointment (the Seal of the Burgh being hereto appended) by *Jo. Lindſay*, Præſes.

Turin, May 4, *N. S.* By Letters from Admiral Matthews, dated the 20th of April, O. S. from Vado Bay, there is an Account, that the Admiral had taken above twenty Prizes ſince the French Declaration of War, ſome of which were from the Levant; that Captain Goodyere, of the Britiſh Train of Artillery (who with two Lieutenants, and other Officers and People belonging to the Train, were taken Priſoners at the Battery under Montalban) had, with two

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of the ſaid Officers, been releaſed upon his Parole, and was returned to the Fleet. We hear from Toulon, that M. de Court is diſgraced, and has received Orders to repair to his Eſtate in the Country; and that the Lieutenant General M. de Roche-Aland is appointed to command the French Fleet in his Room.

The following is a Liſt of the Piemonteſe Officers now Priſoners at Nice.

Lieut. Colonel.	M. de Marcela.
Captains.	M. de St. André. M. le Chevalier Auogadro.
Brevet Major.	M. le Chevalier Solar.
Lieutenants.	M. Marſia. M. le Chevalier Malabaita. M. le Chevalier Bruſatti. M. le Chevalier Ring.
Enſigns.	M. le Chevalier Caſtion. M. Muraton.
Cadets.	M. Presbitero. M. Terriuela.

Of the Regiment of Sicily.

Captains.	M. Rodin. M. Ferrares.
Lieutenants.	M. Pelegrin. M. Girard. M. Bourbon.
Enſigns.	M. Solar. M. Couuin. M. Moyé. M. Decaroli

Of the Queen's Regiment.

Captains.	M. le Chevalier Caqueran. M. Decombe. M. le Conte Carpenet. M. Ambroſion. M. Mongros. M. Robella. M. Ayaga.
Lieutenants.	M. Pouſan. M. Ruuinat. M. le Conte de St. Vital. M. le Conte de la Roque. M. le Chevalier la Roque. M. Ruuiaſe.
Enſigns.	M. Crotis. M. Luvera. M. Lucian. M. Giſſina. M. Cortina. M. Demaria.

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Colonel.	M. Seſto.
Major.	M. le Chevalier Rat.
Captains.	M. le Marquis Biraque. M. Deleſtan.
Lieutenants.	M. Teſſier. M. le Chevalier Auogadro. M. le Counte Viatardi.
Adjutants.	M. le Chevalier Ricardi. M. Furno. M. Carras. M. Giarij. M. Sola, wounded.

Whitehall, May 8.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto the Right Hon. Thomas Lord Lovell, the Dignities of Viſcount and Earl of the Kingdom of Great Britain, by the Name, Stile and Title of Viſcount Coke of Holkham in the County of Norfolk, and Earl of Leiceſter in the County of Leiceſter.

Admiralty-Office, April 30, 1744.

His Majeſty, having been graciouſly pleaſed, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to eſtabliſh certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: Theſe are to give Notice, that Copies of the ſaid Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy at Chatham, Portſmouth, and Plymouth; as alſo with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerneſs; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinſale; where all ſuch Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the ſaid Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpoſe. But ſuch Widows as live at too great a Diſtance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Thomas Corbett, Eſq; at the Admiralty Office, who will ſend them all neceſſary Information. And the Governors of the ſaid Charity intending to diſtribute to the Widows of Sea Officers who died before the 30th of Auguſt 1732, as well as to the Widows of thoſe who died ſince that Time, whoſe Circumſtances come within the Rules of the Eſtabliſhment, ſuch Monies as may be due to them, on the 31ſt Day of May next: This is to give Notice thereof, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do ſo as ſoon as poſſible; and that all ſuch Widows whoſe Claims have been already allowed, may ſend or bring to this Office, by the 31ſt of next Month, the Affidavit required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Penſion or Bounty.

London, April 27, 1744.

By the Commiſſioners for diſtributing the Moiety of the Prizes taken from the Spaniards.

Notice is hereby given to the ſeveral Agents for the Captors of all Prizes taken on or between the 10th Day of July 1739, and the 19th Day of October following, by any Ships of War, from the King of Spain or his Subjects, or others inhabiting within any the Territories of the King of Spain; and to all other Perſons whom it may concern; That, purſuant to his Majeſty's Command, by his Commiſſion bearing Date the 4th Day of February 1743, they are hereby required forthwith to bring or tranſmit to the ſaid Commiſſioners, at their Office in Aldermary Church Yard in Bow-lane, a particular and authentick Account of all ſuch Prizes, ſetting forth their Value according to the Sales made, the ſundry Charges attending their Condemnation and Sale, together with the neat Produce of ſuch Prizes; and alſo an Account of what Part of the ſaid Prizes (if any) is ſtill remaining unſold; and likewiſe immediately to pay to the ſaid Commiſſioners the full Moiety of their reſpective Accounts: And hereof they are not to fail, as they will anſwer the contrary at their Peril.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
Jo. Sedgwick.

London, May 8, 1744.

A General Court of the Company of Proprietors of the Undertaking for recovering and preſerving the Navigation of the River D E E, will be held at their Office in St. Swithin's Lane, near London Stone, Cannon-ſtreet, on Thurſday the 24th Inſtant, at Eleven o' Clock in the Forenoon, upon ſpecial Affairs; of which all concerned are hereby deſired to take Notice.

A General Meeting of the Truſtees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Suſſex, is appointed to be held at the Fox and Hounds Inn in Croydon, on Saturday the 26th Day of May, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, to chuſe Truſtees in the Place of ſuch as are dead, removed, or refuſing to act, and other Affairs relating to the Truſt.

S. Gourney, *Clerk.*

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Iſaac Panchaud, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 23d Inſtant, at at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, at which Time and Place the Creditors are to come prepared to proceed to the Choice of a new Aſſignee or Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, in the room of the preſent Aſſignees by the ſaid Order removed; at which Time the ſaid preſent Aſſignees are required ſeverally to come to an Account before the ſaid Commiſſioners, as by the ſaid Order is directed; and ſuch Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there prove the ſame.

WHereas the Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Grant the Elder, of Bread-ſtreet Hill, London, Soap-maker, met on the 5th of this Inſtant May, purſuant to Notice in the London Gazette, for chuſing of Aſſignees under the ſaid Commiſſion; This is to give Notice, that at the Requeſt of the Creditors then preſent, the ſaid Choice is poſpon'd to Thurſday the 10th Day of this Inſtant May, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and chuſe Aſſignees accordingly.

TO be ſold, entire or in Parcels, The Eſtates of George Prowſe, Gent. deceaſed, purſuant to his Laſt Will and Teſtament) at the Caſtle Tavern or Inn in Taunton, in the County of Somerſet, on Tueſday the 5th Day of June next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and continue till all is ſold, to wit, The Fee Simple and Inheritance of the Manor of Pinxmore, and the Revenue and Inheritance of ſeveral Tenements, Lands and Hereditaments, (after the Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Prowſe, Widow) lying in Wellington in the ſaid County of Somerſet; and alſo of ſeveral other Tenements, Mills, Lands and Hereditaments (after the Death of the ſaid Elizabeth Prowſe) lying in Norton Fitzwarren in the ſame County. Any Perſon in the mean Time may apply for further Particulars to John Proctor, Eſq; at Henlude near Taunton aforeſaid, or to Mr. Thomas Knight, an Attorney in Yeovill in the ſaid County.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Rayment, of the Old Jury, London, Watchmaker, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 11th and 21ſt Days of this Inſtant May, and on the 19th Day of June next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. George Reavely, Attorney, in Barnard's Inn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Nathaniel Edwards, of Lombard Street, London, Hoſier, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 11th and 24th of May Inſtant, and on the 19th of June next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Mathews and Seawell, Attornies, in Gutter Lane, Cheapſide, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Henry Sparks, of the Precinct of St. Chatherine in the County of Middleſex, Victualler and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 11th and 19th of May Inſtant, and on the 19th of June next, at Three of the the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſureof his Eſtate and Effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Firſt Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Turner, Attorney, in St. Catherines near the Tower, London.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Walter Riddell, of the Pariſh of St. Clement Danes, in the County of Middleſex, Taylor and Draper, intend to meet on the 2d of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a ſecond Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Sarah Hawkins, of the Minories, London, Saleſwoman, intend to meet on the 1ſt Day of June next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a ſecond Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE under-mentioned Perſons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for Relief of inſolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inſerted in this Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt in the Common Goal of the City of Lichfield, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the City and County of the City of Lichfield, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Samuel Packwood, late of the City of Lichfield, Whiteſmith.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt in the Cuſtody of the Keeper of the Ward or Priſon of the Bailiffs or Stewards of the City of Exon, kept at the Southgate of the ſaid City, commonly called the Counter, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the ſaid City, in and for the ſaid City and County of Exon, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. John Hallett, late of the Pariſh of the Holy Trinity, in the City and County of Exon, Chirurgeon.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the Firſt of January 1742, and having ſurrendred himſelf to the Keeper of the Poultry Compter, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament paſſed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his Preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Thomas Skeggs, late of Oakham, in the County of Rutland, Brazier.

N. B. If any Perſon in the foregoing Liſt of Priſoners ſhall find, on the Peruſal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, ſuch Error ſhall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

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